

McGill Students' Society Meets At Five Today

Semi-Annual Meeting To Be Held In Union

LARGE TURNOUT OF MEMBERS EXPECTED

Daily, Union, and Council Reports Will Not be Read

The semi-annual meeting of the McGill Students' Society will be held this afternoon in the Union at five o'clock. Though matters of great importance will be discussed the meeting will be brief, and it is expected that there will be a record turn-out of students.

During the recent elections over half of the students exercised their franchise, and this seems to indicate that they are beginning to take an interest in these matters. There is therefore no reason why there should not be an attendance of over the quorum at this afternoon's meeting.

Discussion of Reports

Due to the fact that the reports of the McGill Daily, President of the Union, and President of the Students' Council have already been printed in other columns of this Daily, it will not be necessary to read these at today's meeting. The meeting will be open to discussion on these reports however.

According to the constitution any member may bring up any business he wants to be discussed at the meeting.

Unlike last year there will be no important amendments brought up, so the meeting should be brief.

English Society Hears Prof. Noad

Tendencies in Biographies to be Discussed at Friday's Meeting

Professor A. S. Noad, of the English Department, will address the final meeting of the English Literature Society for the present session on "Recent Tendencies in Biography," on Friday afternoon, March 21st, at 4 o'clock, in room 15 of the Arts Building. Since this is also the Annual Meeting of the Society, officers will be elected for the coming term.

The speaker, it is understood, will discuss two types of biography, the romance type and what might be termed the realist type, of the sort which Lytton Strachey writes. He is hoping to present the subject in such a way that much profitable discussion will be engendered. Members of the Society will recall that Professor Noad spoke last year on "Free Verse and Free Poetry."

The business part of the meeting will be devoted to the election of an honorary president, a president, two vice-presidents, one from the women students, and the other from the men students, and a secretary-treasurer. A majority vote of the members present is sufficient for the election of officers.

All honor students in English and all members of the Society are requested to attend, so as to ensure that the slate of officers will meet with general approval.

DEBATERS MEET IN SEMI-FINAL

Beatty and Baker Meet Cohen and Victor on Monday

The semi-final contest of the year will be held on Monday afternoon by the Commerce '31 Debating Society when Beatty and Baker will oppose Cohen and Victor. The subject has not yet been chosen, the committee thinking it wiser to allow the debaters themselves to meet and decide on a topic suitable to all.

A promise has been secured from the Commercial Society that the winners will receive a small engraved memento commemorating their victory. The winners will pass into the final when they will meet Shackel and Hutchison about the middle of next week.

The final victors will meet the winners of the Commerce '32 series for the all-Commerce debating championship.

Election Smoker Is Scheduled By Arts Undergrads

AT 8 P.M. tonight the second Arts Undergraduates Smoker is to be held in the Union. The final debate will take place between representatives of first and second year Arts. The resolution "That McGill Students are Lacking in a Sense of Humor" will be upheld by Lionel Rubin and Ted Johnson of 4th year, and opposed by Arthur Marshall and Charles Sturdee of 1st year. Candidates for the presidency of the Arts Undergraduates Society will then make their election speeches and the candidates for the offices of vice-president and secretary will be presented. Several musical numbers will be given, and a distribution of hot dogs, cigarettes and coffee will be made to the audience at the close of the meeting.

Ruins Of Angkor Still Impressive

Stand in Midst of Cambodian Jungle

DECLINE RAPID

M. G. Ballantyne Delivers Illustrated Address at Meeting of Historical Club

"In Angkor occurred perhaps the most perfect expression of beauty in architecture that the world has ever seen," declared M. G. Ballantyne in an illustrated address on the civilization of Angkor delivered last night at a meeting of the Historical Club. The city of Angkor, in the interior of Cambodia, was founded in the sixth century by the Khmers, who were migrants from northern India. The period of its greatest power was between the thirteenth to the fifteenth centuries. But the following decline was so rapid and complete that today nothing remains except the ruins of its temples, half-buried under the Cambodian jungle.

Architecture Massive
The original grandeur of these temples has not been entirely lost. They still stand, enormous topped by high towers and covered over with intricate carving. Their Khmer architecture shows a distinct relationship to that of India from which it drew its first inspiration. But with the later isolation of Angkor a more individual form was developed. The Khmers never discovered the use of the arch. Consequently they could not construct large halls; and their temples, built of narrow passages, have a beauty that is of a massive rather than a graceful nature.

Since 1907 the French have done considerable work in clearing away the jungle from the ruins of the city. Unfortunately the advancement of the jungle has done irreparable

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT 1929-30.

March 15, 1930.
At this time it is impossible to make a complete report on the activities of the Students' Society for the year. I will deal particularly with those activities in which any change has taken place. Most of the activities under the control of the Council have been run by the people in charge to the general satisfaction of those interested. There are special reports from the President of the Union and the Secretary-treasurer of the Council which will be submitted at the same time as this report.

I must mention particularly the work of the McGill Annual Board for this year. It has been the policy of the Council in the past to farm out the advertising to undergraduates. This year the Secretary of the Council took charge of the advertising and it has proven to be a much more satisfactory arrangement, as well as saving considerable money for the Annual Board. The editors of this book feel confident that it will be in the hands of the students during the first week of April, which is one month ahead of any previous year and establishes a precedent which all future editors should strive to follow.

The McGill Debating Union Society celebrates this year its Golden Jubilee. In commemoration of this event the Executive, working with several prominent graduates and ex-officers have planned to commemorate the event by a dinner and mock parliament to take place on the 21st of March. A number of very prominent men, including the Visitor to the University will be present at this function and it should add greatly to the prestige of the Society. Debating is such an important branch of our activity that the Council felt justified in making a special allowance to defray the expense of this event.

The Players' Club has maintained its popularity with the undergraduates and general public by the merit of its work this year. The Work-shop which was started in the Fall has proven its usefulness and should be a source of great satisfaction to the members of the Club.

The work of the Scarlet Key Society has improved tremendously in the last few months. Not only has the Society been able to make a considerable sum of money by taking charge of the ushering at the Stadium, but they seem to have found at last the proper way of spending the money in accomplishing the aims for which the Society was founded. Criticism that this form of entertaining visitors as too mechanical has been removed by the fact that the Scarlet Key always works in conjunction with the Club or Society with which the visitors are going to meet.

The Music Club has been revived this year and has given a number of very excellent entertainments which were appreciated by those students and others who attended. The Choral and Operatic Society are making a strong attempt to revive choral singing, but it is still too early to predict the result.

The greatest change in our major activities has been in the Red & White Revue. The show this year was presented in Moyse Hall and it was highly successful from every standpoint. Every credit is due to the Executive and cast for the splendid entertainment they supplied. It would seem that the change is a step in the

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Braggs Solved X-Ray Problem

Father and Son Win Nobel Prize

SLIDES SHOWN

Dr. W. Barnes Gives Lecture on Two Famous Physicists

"Sir William Bragg was one of the most kindly and unostentatious of men," Dr. W. H. Barnes stated at the popular physics lecture held last night in the Physics Laboratory. The lecture dealt mainly with the careers of Sir William Bragg and his son Prof. William Lawrence Bragg. Sir William is now an honorary Fellow at Trinity College, Cambridge, the Director of the Royal Institute of Great Britain and Fullerton Professor in Chemistry in the Royal Institute. He was educated at King William's College on the Isle of Man and at Trinity College Cambridge. He was the Third Wrangler in 1904, and won a first class in Part 3 of Mathematical Tripos in 1905.

His son, William Lawrence Bragg, was born in Adelaide, South Australia and was educated at Adelaide and later at Trinity College, Cambridge, where he won the Allan Scholarship. He is now Langworthy Professor of

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Ruth Dow Elected as Head of M.W.S.S.

Miss Ruth Dow, Medicine 3, has been elected by acclamation to the office of President of the M.W.S.S. for the coming year. She was formerly the representative for Medicine on the executive council of the M.W.S.S. She was president of the Delta Sigma society, valedictorian of her year, '29, and has been prominent in R.V.C. debating, in which she has won many competitions.

Selling Off Revue Costumes This Week

All Clothes Are in Good Condition

Anyone who would like to buy costumes or shoes that were used in the Red and White Revue, is asked to meet Wynifred Eaves in the Girls' Common Room of the Arts Building this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The prices for the costumes will be moderate as they are to be sold at a sacrifice. Green dresses and red hats, white berets and white skirts are nearly all gone, but there are a few still left. The milk maid costumes are still all on hand. Many green sweaters are yet to be sold. There are also many remnants, many of which are being sold at a greatly reduced price. The many pairs of tap shoes left, offer an unparalleled opportunity for any aspiring young vaudeville artists.

It is absolutely necessary that everything should be got rid of as soon as possible. The costumes have had great care taken of them and are in splendid condition, being unsoiled, untorn, ripped or hardly even creased. This is a splendid chance for members of the revue to obtain something by which they may remember the part they took in it.

FRENCH FEMALES FEATURE FEARS

Final Meeting of Club Takes Place Thursday

The final meeting of the Societe Francaise for this year will take place on Thursday, March 20, at 4 P.M. in the Common Room of the R.V.C.

The entertainment, labelled as GRAND GUIGNOL, promises to be something entirely different from the ordinary, starting with a hair-raising and blood-curdling curtain raiser. A clue to the rest of the program may be obtained by making inquiries about the famous GRAND GUIGNOL Theatre of Paris. Otherwise the executive will make no further disclosures, and the curious will have to satisfy their curiosity by attending the meeting.

As this is the final meeting of the Societe, the elections of next year's executive will be held. Nomination blanks are now posted in the Arts Building.

Jubilee Debate Tickets May be Obtained at The Tuck Shop Today

Those who wish to obtain tickets for the Jubilee Debate of the McGill Debating Union Society may do so at the Tuck Shop to-day.

Students Enact Children's Play

Saturday Date of Presentation of "Silver Thread"

THIRD OF SERIES

Miss Strathy in Charge of Production; Strong Cast Announced

The third of the series of four children's plays being produced by the English Department is entitled "The Silver Thread" and will be presented in Moyse Hall on Saturday afternoon, March 22nd, at 3 o'clock. "The Silver Thread" is a Cornish play in three acts, for boys and girls, written by George MacDonald, the author of "At the Back of the North Wind," a popular children's book. The play tells of how a little boy rescues the Princess Gwendolyn from the schemes of the goblins in the mines of Cornwall, where the scene of the play is laid.

Miss Marguerite Strathy is in charge of the production of "The Silver Thread." Tickets for the play at 50 cents each may be procured at the Comptrollers office of the University. The cast of the play has just been announced and is as follows.

Cast

Cubert John Williams

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McGill Students Honor Memory Of Neil Buckley

McGILL paid tribute to Neil Buckley, by turning out in large numbers at the funeral, held in Wray's Chapel, yesterday noon. The faculty of the University was represented by Dean Ira MacKay. Commerce '33, his class, turned out almost as a whole. Boyd Millon was present as the representative of the Students' Council.

The large body of mourners, besides his classmates and the official representatives of the University, gave touching proof of the esteem and popularity with which he was regarded. The McGill Swimming Club, and many members of the M.A.A.A. water polo team were there.

Buckley was a graduate of the Montreal High School, where he took a prominent part in aquatic activities, which he continued on coming to McGill. He was one of the outstanding members of the polo team, and was one of the stars in the recent Intercollegiate Swimming Meet, winning the hundred yards free style.

Principal Currie Addressed S.C.A.

Annual Supper Meeting Well Attended

OFFICERS ELECTED

Marked Progress Shown by Reports for Closing Year

The Annual Meeting of the Students' Christian Societies of R.V.C. and McGill took place last night in Strathcona Hall. The reports of the retiring officers were read and their successors for next year were elected. After the business had been disposed of, Sir Arthur Currie and the Rev. F. J. Moore each said a few words.

Principal Currie told how deeply interested he was in the work of the S.C.A. and how he hoped for more cooperative effort with the Board. He stated that a great deal of time and money was spent in investigating the physical world, but that the same energy has not been devoted to the study of man, his ways of living, his religion, or his duties to his fellows and to his community. He considered the S.C.A. to be playing a real part in the life of the University and wished it every bit of success and encouragement.

The Rev. Moore, editor of the "Canadian Student" in Toronto, complimented McGill on its February issue of that magazine. He said that the S.C.A. work of Toronto was very similar to that carried on here.

Annual Report

Secretary Chuck Stewart read the annual report and was again elected

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New Generation Badly In Need Of Intellectual Alps

Dr. Lynn Hough Believes Students Require Higher Ideals

FUNCTION OF S.C.A.

Claims American Graduates With B.A. Degrees Cannot Speak Proper English

College students on this side of the Atlantic have no Alps stated Dr. Lynn Hough during his address at the Annual Supper Meeting of the Joint Student Christian Associations of McGill and R.V.C. held last night in Strathcona Hall. In explaining this remark Dr. Hough went on to say that the students are lacking in high ideals to look up to. This generation needs the presence of something bigger than itself and the presence of something which by climbing one can see life in a vast perspective.

"As a representative of the older generation, I maintain that they have fallen down badly in dealing with the problems of life," continued Dr. Hough, "but I must also add that the younger generation have done far worse. The idealism of modern youth is immensely overworked in public speaking. When idealism means the path of least resistance, youth is keen to follow it but if it means an intensive endeavour to

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Universities To Make Exchanges

N.F.C.U.S. Announces System of Exchange Scholarships for Junior Students

The N.F.C.U.S. has this year inaugurated an exchange system for third year students. By this system any student who has completed two years of his course at a Canadian University may apply to take the third year at another university tuition free, receiving credit from his alma mater.

Under the conditions of this exchange it must take place between different geographical divisions, these being as follows: University of British Columbia, Universities of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, Universities of Ontario and Quebec, and Universities of the Maritime Provinces.

Application should be made to the president of the Students' Council or to the local representative of the N.F.C.U.S. before April 15, 1930.

This exchange plan was put into effect last year and evinced a great deal of enthusiasm on the part of the students. Allan Campbell, Arts 31 is an exchange student from the University of British Columbia, while Fred Stone is McGill's exchange student to the University of British Columbia at the present time. It is hoped that many will avail themselves of the opportunity to submit an application.

LECTURE TO BE ON WIND CHANNEL

Professor Parkin Will Talk on Aeroplanes

On Monday next, March 24th, 1930 at 8.30 p.m. in the Macdonald Physics Laboratory there will be a lecture on "Wind Channel Experiments" by Prof. J. H. Parkin, formerly of Toronto University, now undertaking the research investigations of the National Physical Laboratory. The new laboratory is erecting a water channel as well as a large wind channel and there is already a large demand for tests of flying boats and aeroplanes. Professor Parkin is an experienced lecturer and he has excellent material and slides dealing with his former work.

This lecture is under the auspices of the McGill Light Aeroplane Club and is open to the public and all interested.

At the end of the lecture the new film taken by Colonel Wilfrid Boyce from an aeroplane over Lake Mistassini and Lake Chibougamau will be shown.

Annual Meeting of M.W.S.S. Thursday

The annual meeting of the M.W.S.S. will be held in the R.V.C. on Thursday, March 27, at 3.30 P.M., before the Delta Sigma meeting. All women students are urged to attend.

THE UNION

Report of the President for the Session 1929-30.

The past session has seen many changes in the administration of the McGill Union. In many respects it has been a trial year especially with regard to the Cafeteria. In fact the introduction of outside catering and the Constitutional change which effected the reduction of the House Committee constitute two of the most radical departures ever undertaken by any Union Executive. In my opinion these changes have, by their results fully justified themselves and should continue to do so in the future to an even greater degree.

As most students know the Cafeteria had been managed by the Student's Council through the House Committee from its inception until near the close of the 1928-29 session. For many years its upkeep had constituted a serious drain on the finances of the Union and its annual deficits ate up money which should have been available for other parts of the building with heart-breaking regularity. The idea of outside management was conceived by my predecessor Mr. Weldon who entered into a trial agreement with A.C. Corner's Ltd. last spring. This firm operated the Cafeteria successfully during the poor spring months and as a result the present plan was drawn up during the summer by which the Union pays the cost of lighting, water etc., and divides the profits (if any) equally with Corner's Ltd. This is the essential framework of an arrangement which has, I think, worked to the satisfaction of both parties and should undoubtedly be continued with possibly a few modifications.

During the past six months the student body has received better service and more attractively served food in the Cafeteria and Grill Room than ever before in recent years. This has naturally resulted in larger receipts and better statements as far as the Cafeteria is concerned. At the present rate the Union's share of the Cafeteria profits should just offset the charges against that part of the

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Talbot Papineau Trophy Will be at Stake on Thursday

Lists will be posted to-day in the Arts Building for those who wish to compete in the public speaking contest. These lists must be signed by not later than noon. The contest which is for the Talbot-Papineau Trophy will be held in the Faculty Room of the Arts Building at 4 o'clock on Thursday afternoon. The subject to be spoken on will be posted at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning, and each speaker is expected to give a five minute talk, supporting both the affirmative and negative sides of the question.

THE DAILY

A Report Of Volume 19.

There has been much to feature in the 19th. Volume of the Daily and a perusal of the files shows that standard of reporting of news has been equally as high as in past years. This may seem superfluous but when it is considered that the Associate Staff of Editors were in the main new appointees the force of the statement can be seen.

The Daily has continued to be a centre from which has come men who have taken up activities in other administrative capacities. This comes naturally as they have their finger on the pulse of college events and the very fact of the people working on the staff shows that they are interested more than a little in student affairs.

There was made necessary at the beginning of the year a change in personnel due to the resignation of Colin MacLeod, as Managing Editor and his position was filled by W. Ken Dunn. With the whole staff at a total in the region of eighty it can be seen that the tasks upon the few grow lighter and there is more room for specialisation. It has been found that the women have completely lived up to expectations and have justified their position as co-workers upon the staff.

Of the mechanical changes there have been but few, but the most significant has been that of the width of the columns upon page two. It is

still maintained that the editorial column is the most important thing in the paper and as such should be

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WHAT'S ON

To-day

1.00—Delta Sigma Executive.
3.00—Hokey—Science 1 vs Arts 3.
5.00—STUDENTS' SOCIETY MEETING.
8.00—Art' Undergraduate Society.

To-morrow

Political Economy Club.
Oriental Club.
Banjo Club.
Societe Francaise.
M.W.S.S. Executive.
Daily Staff Banquet.
March 21
Physical Society.
English Literature Society.
Newfoundland Club.
March 23
Maccabean Circle.
March 24
Medical Society.
March 25
Commerce '32.
March 26
Medical Society Election.
March 27
M.W.S.S.
March 28
Band Dinner.

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Montreal, Wednesday, March 19, 1930.

Reports Submitted

REPORTS of, rather than the proposal of changes in the proposed program for this afternoon's meeting of the Students' Society in the Union Ballroom. If all goes as smoothly as is expected the meeting should be over inside of half-an-hour, because of the new system which has been adopted this year of having the reports of the President of the Society, the President of the Union and the Editor of the Daily, printed in the issue of the Daily for the day of the meeting. This new brevity may attract students so that something more than the bare quorum of other years may be obtained.

It is not to encourage any obstructive discussion which would destroy this brevity, but to ensure the fact that the reports be passed intelligently that we urge any member of the Society intending to attend the meeting (and surely that means all) to read the reports, and if he disagrees with any of the sentiments expressed, to express his dissatisfaction this afternoon.

To the optimism of the reports some might take exception, but the satisfaction that is expressed in the year's activity is probably justified. Few great principles are brought up, except the principle of limiting committees to a more efficient smaller body as embodied in the Union House report; but this was approved in the Annual Meeting in the fall. The President brings up the unavoidable centralization question, but only in reference to past actions. Our own recommendations for the conduct of the Daily are possibly the easiest to disagree with. Still, some change must be made in order that the constitution actually be followed. Unless the whole managing board lives in it, it is difficult for the opinions in the Editorial column to be those of any but the one editor who writes them, and the statement at the top of this column, even as modified last year is rendered untrue.

However, as we do not intend to give a synopsis of all debatable points in the reports, but intend these to be read, we will refer the student body to page 1 of this issue and again urge every member of the Society to attend the meeting to vote the adoption of the matter which will be found there.

The Intellectual Life

THE reports submitted at the Annual Dinner of the combined S.C.A.'s of R.V.C. and McGill last night were in the main most encouraging. If finances are to be any criterion then these groups are still continuing in their well established positions on the campus. There was one main comment that was made by the Treasurer and that was the falling down of the responsibility of the students themselves on their part of the financial program. We think that they are not the only ones who find themselves in that position. It is another indication of the trend of student appreciation.

Figures and facts do not go well with some people's digestion but anyone who had been holding himself well in check during this part of the proceedings was amply rewarded by the address by Dr. Lynn Harold Hough who was the speaker of the evening. If there was one thing which he stressed more than any other it was the fact that students should make the intellectual life a college activity. In the multitude of our many college activities we have certainly left the intellectual side far behind. As Dr. Hough stressed anyone who talked of any specific theme outside the scheduled hours was considered a high-brow and the most revered man on the campus was the outstanding athlete.

We wonder how many themes there are in the air at McGill with which students earnestly juggle as much as they do the dope on the next athletic activity. True the actions of tomorrow will be those of the people who are students today, and the outlook is not very hopeful. If there is to be a culture at all in this land of ours then its home must be in the university.

Notice

THE Managing Board of the Daily wishes to draw the attention of its readers to the letter in the Correspondence Column of today's issue. It is unfortunate that there should have been the necessity to write it and it is felt that there was no necessity to write it. Opinions upon the matter will be gladly welcomed.

The BOOKSHELF

Cabell Leaves The Literary Tournament

"THE WAY OF EGBEN" by James Branch Cabell. Robert McBride & Co.

The most interesting part of "The Way of Ebben" is the author's announcement that this is the last of his prose fantasies. Horvendile and Etarre, the lovely, the fleeing, Jurgen and Manuel are to wander no more in the magic twilight of Poictesme. Poictesme with its haunted forests and dragon-guarded castles, gallant knights an impossible princesses, Poictesme, melancholy land of dream, is dead, and one of the greatest and most abused artists of modern literature had written this to the work of a life time. At the age of fifty the creator of Jurgen has laid aside his pen with the declaration that at fifty a writer's work is behind him and it is his duty to humanity to cease production. It is a debatable point, and we who have followed Jurgen through the land of his heart's desire, we who have found many hours of forgetting in the dream-dragged land of Poictesme cannot but be sad that it is ended. Perhaps this great master of fancy will yet return and words will sing again like lutes under his pen, and Etarre the witch-woman will again trouble the hearts of men with vague, insatiate longings, and Horvendile, the universal artist, will open the magic door of Poictesme to mortals; perhaps he will yet return.

That this book is not up to the high standard of his former works is disappointing but it is immeasurably superior to any similar work being produced today. The pungent satire, the melancholy wisdom, the daring humor are all here, but they lack the freshness that characterized them in "The High Places" or "Figures of Earth." The perfect technician, the master-craftsman, is still evident but the old fire seems to have failed for the moment. The adventures of the king of Ebben are pallid in comparison with those of Jurgen, but only in comparison with his.

Another Tale Of The Klondike Rush

"THE YUKON DRIVE," Doubleday, Doran and Gundy, 359 pp. \$2.00.

Although the reader of this story may at times be carried away by his emotions as thrill succeeds thrill or may be helpless with laughter in reading some of the adventures the thought still persists that the events in the book were made to order. The first few chapters show how unconvincing an author can be when he is trying to delineate some strong simple character of toll usually associated with the phrase "a child of Nature." Other parts of the story, although based on actual fact, have an incredible unreality about them. When for instance, the hero sees the last of his herd of cattle being drowned and driven away by the current, while he himself watches the rising flood creeping higher to engulf both him and his sweetheart, the thought persists that everything will come right in the next chapter and that instead of killing them the flood will help the adventurers on their way. Of course in a story like this the villain, who really is not a villain at all, does the redeeming stunt and saves everybody and everything, including all the cattle.

The story itself starts in Pinesville, Oregon, where the stalwart and blushing hero can be seen communing with himself and trying to decide to "pop the question" to one Lila Bovine daughter of the local banker. It seems, however that Lila is just falling in love with Lawson, a cynical and egotistical ex-college football player and student of psychology. To alleviate the shock of refusing Bill Rondo's proposal Lila tells him if he had money she would marry him.

The hero then sets out on his wild quest for money. But before he goes Banker Bodine makes him take Lawson along giving the latter instructions to prevent the drive from reaching Dawson in the Yukon.

The motive for the drive being duly established the rest of the book occupies itself with the progress of the cattle towards the Yukon where anxious gold-rush stampedeers are waiting for fresh meat. There is absolutely no plot beyond that given in the first few chapters of the book and outlined in the first few paragraphs above. It is straight narrative.

When the trials of the hero and his companions begin to be somewhat wearisome the author introduces a highly amusing but impossible sea captain who is half pirate and half student of Nietzsche. When this captain and his possibilities in the way of comic relief have been exhausted a love interest is introduced, almost from nowhere, and the story goes merrily on for another hundred pages. The struggles of Rondo, the hero, to justify to himself his friendship for Molly O'Mara, whom he really loves and his love for Lila Bodine, who has been left behind in Pinesville, are portrayed in all their exorcising and dry details.

There are many good touches to the story. The live bustle and high tension of the Klondike gold-rush days of '08 are faithfully portrayed. The historic blazing of the trail through Dalton's pass with a herd of cattle, in all its dangers is fully amplified on. The rush through this Pass which follows the cattle is touched upon, and the sudden changes of climate which take place in the far regions of the north with all their consequent dangers are not left entirely to the imagination of the reader.

The characters of Bill Rondo and of Lawson and the changes through which they go are shown in all their details while the unwavering loyalty of the West receives another boost in the persons of Slim and Kansas two of Rondo's companions. The portrayal of the difficulties under which the gold-rush stampedeers laboured redeems the book somewhat from its unconvincing quality.

Lively Sea Story Suited For Talkie

"THERE WAS A SHIP" by Richard Le Gallienne. Doubleday, Doran and Gundy, pp. 327. \$2.00.

The story is set in the gallant days of Charlemagne, when men were men, and godly puritans were holy pirates: when a sea-voyage was incomplete without its bloody battles, a heroic shipwreck or an adventurous quest for treasure. Those were the days when ferocity, courage, and brute strength were the outstanding qualities of the sailor, and these same in an intensified degree typified the captain and his officers.

The above, at all events, is the impression which "There Was a Ship" leaves upon us. It is an adventure story, pure and simple, nauseatingly pure and exasperatingly simple. "The Happy Return," a noble boat, in charge of Captain Thunder, a noble man, goes in quest of a Spanish treasure, a noble undertaking. For divergence they throw a few cannon-balls at a Dutch boat to make her pay obedience to the English flag; they greet with enthusiasm a battle with a bunch of Puritans who are appropriating the treasure as they reach it. At last, their stronghold filled with a few billion's worth of glittering gold and jewels they sail back towards England. Led astray by the trickery of one of their men they are captured by a fleet from Algiers, an ignominious republic in North Africa living on its piratical successes. The rest of the story deals with their adventures in Algiers, and their eventual escape.

Nor is this all. There is romance and love. Dionysus, the technical hero, has entanglements of the heart with two beautiful women, and, no doubt, to add to the atmosphere of the romance, one of them is a gypsy. And of course the fierce ruler of Algiers becomes fatally infatuated with the English Helen, and the favourite sultana is inordinately jealous. Here, dear reader, is a perplexing problem. In a love entanglement of four there are two whites who should obviously be brought together. How is this to be done? "Elementary, dear Watson, elementary." When the ruler of Algiers aims a dagger at Dionysus, Gays, the gypsy girl, intervenes and receives the dagger in her noble bosom, as befits the temperament of her people. At the same time the jealous sultana stabs the ruler of Algiers in a fit romantic rage. Thus there are just Dionysus, and Caliope left for each other. And all this in two short paragraphs.

I should earnestly recommend this book to the attention of Hollywood. Here is a story which they can almost use in its entirety, and with appropriate musical synchronization and perhaps technical colour, the picture ought to be a great box-office favourite. We should even take the liberty to suggest the following cast:—

Rollicking Captain Thunder Milton Sills
Dionysus, gallant lover Nils Asther.
Ruler of Algiers, fierce and savage Noah Berry
Gays, bewitching gypsy Myrna Loy
Caliope, Nordic beauty Camilla Horn
The pleasing and vivid simplicity of Mr. Le Gallienne's style compensates somewhat for the story. It renders an ordinary plot extremely readable and rather pleasing in less critical moments. Many of the descriptions are superbly done, and although they lack Mr. Conrad's imaginative force they resemble his descriptions in their minuteness of detail.

Correspondence

The Editor, March 17, 1930.
McGill Daily.

Dear Sir:
As officials in charge of the Red and White Revue of 1930 we consider that you have laid yourself open to our criticism. We object to, although fortunately we did not suffer from, your bald refusal to publish news of our last few performances. As students of McGill, contributors to the universal fee which helps make the publication of your paper possible, we feel that your attitude is unwisely governed by your own tastes which too often differ from our own notions of fairness and sportsmanship. We challenge your right to proceed as you have done for as evidenced by the short editorial today, your views have not always had the wholehearted concurrence of your associates on the Managing Board.

Instead of featuring college news, which ought to be and generally is the policy of the paper, except in cases of spitefulness, you forbade publication of a write-up of the Revue. We realize that possibly you may have felt that complimentary tickets should have been given you for every performance. You received a liberal number of complimentary tickets for Wednesday and Thursday nights. On Friday night Mr. Bourne, our publicity manager and an associate editor of the Daily bought tickets quite voluntarily, and, in conjunction with a Daily reporter who had been admitted to stand in the back of the hall, which was crowded to capacity, wrote a story. In view of the fact that Mr. Paterson was in the office Friday night and had agreed to publishing the story, and that Mr. Dunn had previously given his consent to us, if not to you directly, we consider your action in deleting the story high-handed in the extreme, particularly when two exchange stories had to be used to fill up the front page.

We can see no excuse for this lack of co-operation with another activity of the Students' Society, especially as, in the opinion of a great many, certain numbers had not yet received adequate recognition.

With regard to your review of the opening night's performance, we agree that every critic has the right to have and to express his frank opinion. We agree, too, that in the main your ideas were sound, but we concur with the views of Mr. Friedman in his letter last Friday, that your review

contained several references in very poor taste and was replete with would-be witticisms which are quite out of place in an intelligent criticism. No one realises better than we do that there were weak spots in the show, and we welcome "the brickbats with the bouquets" if they are hurled without unnecessary attempts at levity.

The remark in your note to the above-mentioned letter concerning lack of remuneration is quite beside the main point.

We do not anticipate from your previous actions that you will offer an explanation or other form of redress, and we fully expect that you will append to this letter, if you publish it, another of your editorial subterfuges. Moreover, we think that the student body has been left with an unfavorable memory of your unsportsmanlike attitude during the past few issues of the Daily.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank those who worked so faithfully to make the Revue a success, especially the girls of the chorus.

Yours, etc.
D. R. Ogilvie, Producer.
L. S. Webster, General Manager.

Students Enact Children's Play

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Dame Morna Margaret Reid
Woman from beyond the Hills Eileen Fairbairn
Princess Gwendolyn Beatrice Howell
King Radnor Martin O'Loughlin
Mabina Jean Maxwell
Alec Dorothy Shaw
Gundred William Wilson
Thorwald Arthur Marshall
Solberg Raymond Stote
King Shadowcob Clarence Norwood
Prince Slumphin W. D. Lawrence
Mottlesmount Jack Bellitzky
Troll Shirley Nowlan
Koll Ronald Bruce
Rathkin Sarah Mendelsohn
Cawfoot Ida Rab'ner
Mole's ear Ruth Bercovitsh
Shag Bluma Copper

Ruins Of Angkor Still Impressive

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damage. Giant fig-trees grow in the midst of the temples, splitting open the walls and causing them to fall in ruin.

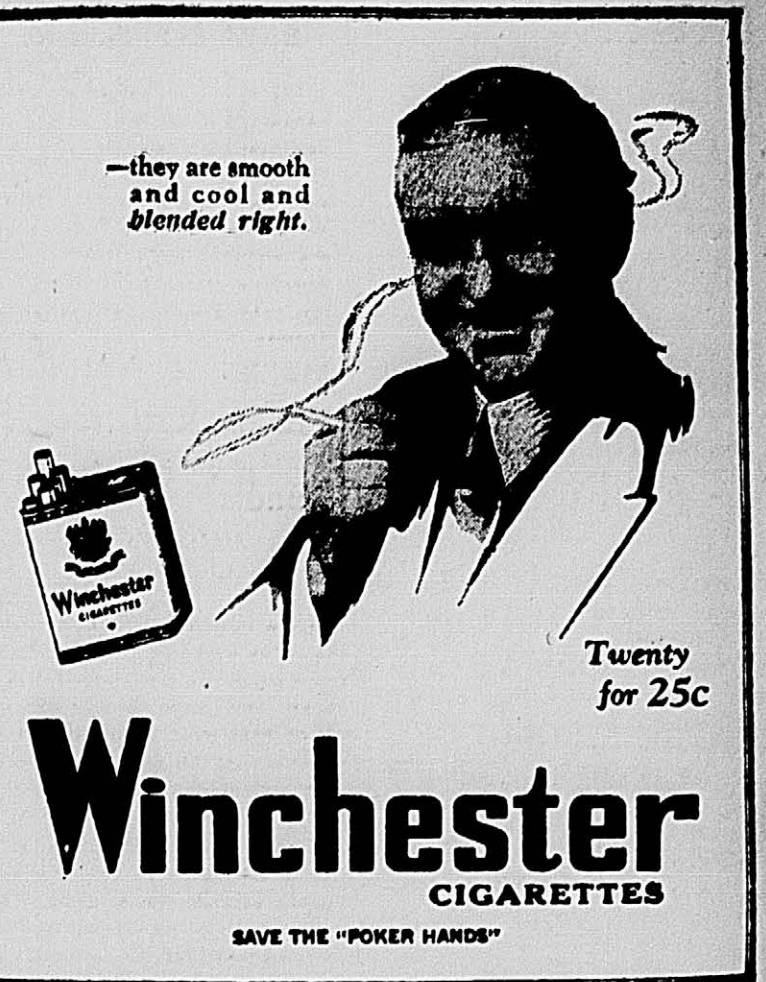
Life In Angkor
About the everyday life of the ancient Khmers little is known. No inscriptions have been found among the ruins and only a few bronze household utensils have been discovered. The chief source of information comes from the account of a thirteenth-century Chinese visitor. He describes the splendours of the royal household, and notes that the king has four wives—one for each of the four points of his kingdom. Passing on to the habits of people, he censures the prevalence of the custom of bathing. The climate, he says, is so hot that the Khmers believe that eternal punishment awaits the sinner who cuts down trees and destroys parasites.

The paper was followed by an open discussion.

Banjo Club

The annual meeting will take place on Thursday at seven thirty in the Union Ballroom.

This will also serve as an organization meeting for the new singing group. Anyone interested in glee club work is requested to turn out.



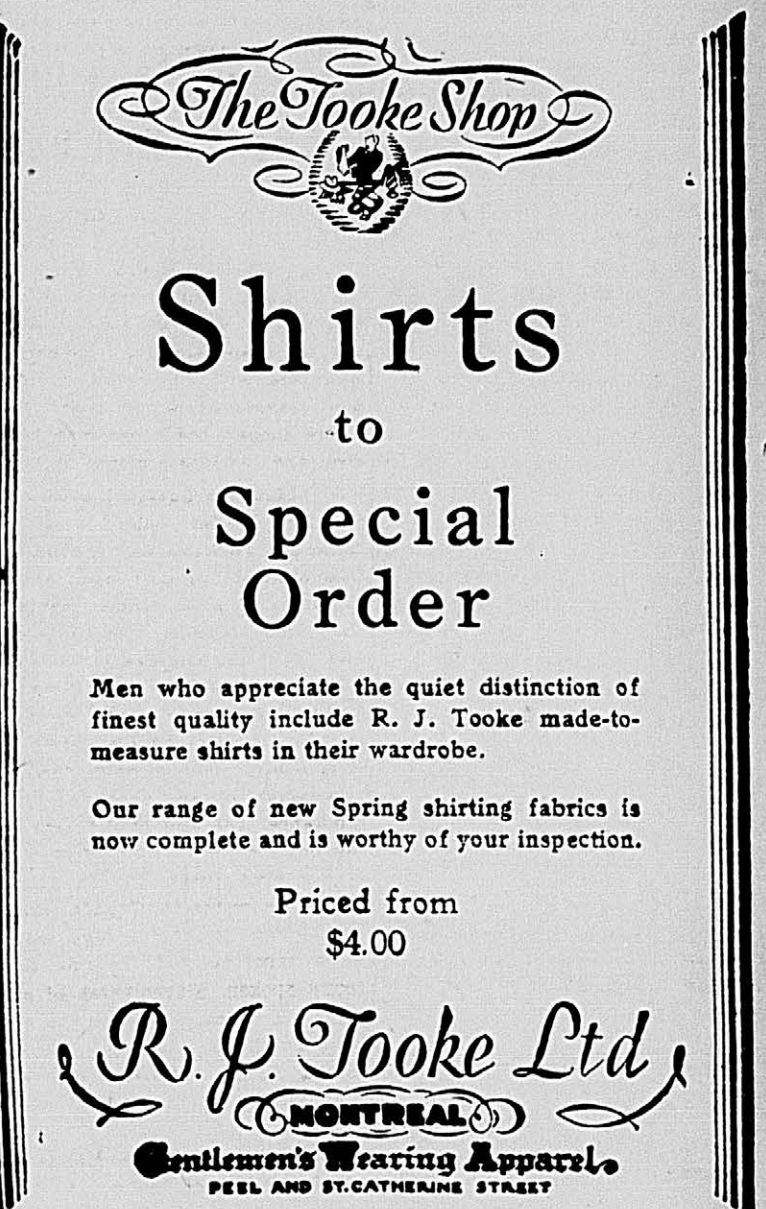
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SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

Of The

STUDENTS' SOCIETY

TODAY

AT 5 O'CLOCK

IN THE

UNION BALLROOM

Interclass Ice Champs To Be Decided Today

Science I and Arts 3 Hockey Squads Meet This Afternoon at 3

AT THE FORUM

The Inter-Class champions of Hockey for 1930 will be decided today at 3 p.m. in the Forum when Science I and Arts 3 meet for the last Sunday death game.

The rough Science team has come through the season without a single defeat although they only succeeded in defeating Med. 2 last year's champions after two tied games. They have plenty of speed and can count on substitutes equal to it not better than the "starters." Painter who played with the intermediates stated he would handle the frosh as usual.

The Arts Juniors have unfortunately not had the chance to practice for at least two weeks and this if anything should prove their biggest drawback. The struggle looks as though it will be one of weight against weight, since both teams are composed of big men though no spectacular shots are to be found in either ranks. The game will be handled by Hughie Farquharson who promises to keep the boys well in order during the crucial struggle.

Science is anxious to finish off with a victory to give themselves completely to their studies while Les Draper and his gang are out to show them that his team with "shut-out" Young in goal, Lin Russell and Howard Webster, late of the Senators, on defense, will not suffer their first defeat in the finals. The winners of this afternoon's tilt will receive numerals from the Athletic Office.

Carlisle of the Arts whom doctors now pronounce fit to play will be found on the first string of substitutes for his team while the line-ups are as follows:

Arts 3	Goal	Science 1
Harold Young	Goal	Dunne
Lin Russell	Defense	Nesbitt
Howard Webster	Centre	Shute
Leslie Draper	Forward	Laurie
Alan Racey	Forward	Molman
Archie Fraser	Substitute	Potts
Hilde Carlisle	Substitute	O'Dowd
Dave Tough	Substitute	Vipond
Mackenzie	Substitute	

Referee: Hugh Farquharson. Time 3 periods of 15 minutes.

Re Summer Soccer

Since the Athletic Board expects an answer this week regarding the possibility of having a McGill entry in the Junior League, every man who has already pledged himself to play, as well as all those who had been undecided at the last meeting, are most urgently asked to attend the second and positively final meeting of the Soccer Club, at which this question will once more be discussed. If the Club should fail to obtain the required number of pledges at this meeting, it can be definitely predicted that no further opportunities of this nature will present themselves.

The above mentioned meeting will be held in Room 12 (twelve) of the Arts Building, at 5.00 o'clock sharp on Thursday, March 20. Positively your last chance to play soccer this summer.

Braggs Solved X-Ray Problem

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Physics at Victoria University of Manchester.

The father and son have carried on most of their research work together and in 1915 each was awarded the Nobel Prize for Physics.

Sir William has published many books on scientific subjects, the most delightful and instructive of these being: "Concerning the Nature of Things" and "Old Trades and New Knowledge."

At the age of forty, Sir William began intensive scientific research in radio-activity and the ionisation of gases by these rays. His experiments threw a real deal of light on the ionisation caused by alpha rays in passing through gases and on the laws of absorption of alpha rays by matter.

Up to 1912 many things were known about x-rays; they issue equally in all directions; they travel in straight lines and cast shadows and penetrate matter to an extent depending on the density. Unlike light they could not be reflected, or refracted, and could not be made to show interference. They resembled light in that they were not affected by a magnetic or electric field.

Stokes and Thompson said that the rays were pulses in the ether which came out intermittently and therefore could not be refracted. Different theories were given as to the form the x-ray took. Some scientists thought that they were long rays others short rays still others trans-

B. W. & F. Banquet

The B. W. & F. championship banquet will be held on Thursday evening, March 28th in the McGill Union at 6.30 P.M. sharp. All members of the Boxing, Wrestling and Fencing teams are eligible for a meal ticket. Everyone please be on time as the management have already allowed half an hour for the walk from Bryson's to the Union.

New Generation Badly In Need Of Intellectual Alps

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solve the problems of life, he usually asks to be excused. While old age has failed from conventionality, the younger generation has failed from lack of experience. And so the problem of intellectual thought among the students of today must be approached with due humility.

Students Lack Responsibility

"It is the duty of the S.C.A. to confront serious facts. The young people of today should be ready to give their best for their country and their fellow men when they look back on the lives of the great pioneers since Jacques Cartier. There are two places where we may fall down, on facts and on principles; and we usually fall down on both. There are several reasons for this none of which however justify it. The students of America are not willing to pay the price of intellectual learning in order to solve the problems of life. Usually they choose their college course with the sole intention of taking these subjects which will yield the greatest remuneration on graduation. This generation is lacking in responsibility. Compare its literature with the books found in the manse of a Scottish village. There though the books may be few, they are the masterpieces of the ages.

Student's Speech Slovenly

Oxford is the only college that takes any real interest in college life. The students of this continent are enveloped in a superficial mental life that has depleted the intellectual vitality of the colleges today. College men everywhere are saying that in no age in the history of the world has it been harder to have any faith than it is today. This in only the noble expression of an absolute virginal ignorance. The Universities are sending out men with B. A. degrees who cannot even speak English correctly. And it is worse in Canada than in the United States for here we have more opportunity of hearing it correctly spoken. Slovenliness of speech is now a characteristic of the graduate. Yet he is even more strikingly lacking in his knowledge of the history of thought than in his way of speaking."

Intellectual Masters Necessary

"The future of the world belongs to the people who have intellectual mastery and in this the European student is far ahead of the American. The prosperity of America has been thrust upon people by natural resources of the country not by their effort or energy. Sooner or later however sheer economic pressure will force us to think more adequately. A real serious attempt to approach an intellectual task has not been made at any university that I have visited; nor is it due to lack of intelligence. "On the levels of modern sophistication there is a deadly pessimism and disillusionment. An example of this is the Rotary Club whenever I attend one of its meetings and listen to their forced bubbling enthusiasm, I feel as if I were in the presence of a galvanized corpse."

"Our problem today is to find something big enough to live for, suffer for and if need be, die for. And the only place we can find that something is in religion. But religion must be absolute or else it is infinite. Whenever a nation finds religion it begins life anew. It is religion that brings out the finest qualities of manhood and womanhood.

verse rays while some thought that they were merely matter. It was finally proved that there were rays of very short wave length, very much shorter than the infra-red rays.

Dr. Barnes then went on to the study of crystals and their use in solving the problem of the rays. Solids, he said are of two kinds, amorphous and crystalline. Light cannot be refracted by amorphous substances but only by the crystalline solids. Crystallographers came to the conclusion that all crystalline matter is made up of ordered arrangements of molecules and atoms and that in a single crystal this arrangement was repeated in all directions throughout the crystal. The molecules are arranged in planes, and are placed at the angles where the planes intersect.

Dr. Barnes gave many slides showing the different formations of crystals and as well had several models to further demonstrate their groupings. He showed why there was such a great difference between a diamond and a piece of graphite, both of which are composed of carbon.

If you wish to be good, first believe that you are bad.—Epictetus

Debating Union Elects Officers

Retiring President Reviews Briefly Work of Past Year

The final private business meeting of the Debating Union was held yesterday at 5 o'clock in the Union. The Vice-President, Alan Edison, read his report on the activities of the past year. Following this, the secretary, treasurer and members of the standing committee for next year were elected.

Edmund Collard was elected secretary, and Kenneth G. Baker treasurer. Next year's standing committee will be composed of H. C. Goldenberg, D. Lewis, L. Rubin and R. H. Alchin.

Review Of Work

Following the elections, the retiring president briefly reviewed the work of the past year and made a few suggestions as to the conduct of the society in future. He also mentioned the honorary membership conferred on Ramsay MacDonald and on His Excellency Viscount Willingdon. The President mentioned the beginning of the exchange debates between the University of Toronto and McGill. He stated that he hoped that this exchange would become a custom.

"The debates conducted under the auspices of the Inter-University Debating League," he said, "have not been an unqualified success and next year's committee might well consider withdrawal from the year."

In conclusion the president thanked those who had assisted him in the conduct of the society during the past year, notably Colonel Bovey, honorary president.

A vote of thanks was proposed to the president for his work during the past year, and the activities of the society were brought to a close.

Principal Currie Addressed S.C.A.

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secretary for the coming year. His report indicated briefly the more obvious features of the Associations programme for next year. A distinctly new departure in the S.C.A. programme and in University life as a whole was the inauguration of the Saturday Night Club this session with the purpose of bringing professors and students together on an informal non-academic basis.

The retiring president Martin Estlin spoke a few words on the splendid cooperation he had received from the rest of the board. On the election of John Smit as next year's president, Martin Estlin turned over the office of chairman to him. John Smit as Treasurer of the S.C.A. during the past year read an estimated report on the financial standing. The report showed a surplus of approximately \$470 for the year.

R.V.C. Officers

Marjorie Tennant, president of the S.C.A. of R.V.C. read the woman's annual report and announced the officers for the year 1930-31, as follows: President—Marion Allen, 22; Vice-president—Kathleen Elliott, 24; Secretary—Mildred Ball, 22; and Treasurer—Marjorie Wans, 22. Mrs. Duckworth, formerly Miss Muriel Ball has accepted the position of permanent Secretary. The following are the cabinet members: W. Thompson, 22, Fairbairn, K. Warren, Isabel Dawson, J. MacDonald, N. Edwards and M. Wade.

Robb McDonald moved a vote of thanks to the men who had conducted the S.C.A. study groups.

President's Report

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right direction and the Council plan to appoint next year's executive before the end of the term and thus avoid the delay that generally takes place in the Fall.

At the request of last year's Junior Prom Committee and last year's Convocation Committee the Council has assumed responsibility for their activities. Contrary to the opinion of some people this was not planned as a move in the direction of centralization. These two Committees will control their own affairs exactly as they have in the past. Neither activity is intended to make money and it is not fair that the losses which occasionally occur should be born by the members of the Committee. Moreover, the offices and credit of the Students' Council should be available to these Committees as they are to others in a similar position.

The Council has tried very hard all year to co-operate with the Graduates' Society. In this we have met with considerable success. A Smoker of the local branch of the Graduates' Society was held in the Union and the Graduates enjoyed the affair so much that they planned to have another as soon as possible. The graduates also bought all the seats for a special early performance of the Red & White Revue and were very pleased with the success of this experiment. I think we should make this an annual event and the graduates seem willing to do so. The Graduates' Society and the

SPORT NOTICES

Basketball Notice

The following please turn out at 5 today for a game against one of the City League Teams: Talpa, Hammond, Brincine, Dixon, Sellar, McLean, Feigenbaum, and Ross.

Baseball Notes

Law defeated Science yesterday by an overwhelming score of 30 to 21. This afternoon the Lawyers will meet Arts in what promises to be the crucial struggle of the season. A win for Arts will give them the championship while should the Lions win, they will still be in the running. All out.

Faculty Baseball

Wednesday, March 19
Law vs. Arts. Umpire: Urquhart.
Friday, March 21
Arts vs. Commerce. Umpire: Baker.
Monday, March 24
Medicine vs. Commerce. Umpire: Urquhart. (Exhibition).
Tuesday, March 25
Arts vs. Science. Umpire: Erdrich.
Commerce vs. Arts—6.15 p.m.
Wednesday, March 25
Arts vs. Law. Umpire: Thompson.

Badminton Club

The semi-annual meeting will be held on Friday. All members are urgently requested to be on hand.

Senior Rugby

Will the following who have ordered Senior Rugby Pictures please call for same at the Athletic Office in the Union immediately: Wilson, Young, Church, Nichol.

"M" Certificates

Will the following please call at the Athletic Office, for their "M" Certificates:

G. T. A. Mimas, G. S. Bacon, G. P. Baker, J. Brown, C. H. Copeman, W. L. Dettlor, D. Denny, H. M. Esall, W. M. Ford, H. M. Jacquays, R. P. Jones, S. Klein, A. Krupkin, L. Giovando, R. Grimes-Graeme, F. W. Hurd, R. F. Legge, G. A. Playfair, J. C. Quintin, H. L. Ritchie, G. A. Simpson, A. M. Watt, E. R. Wykes.

R.V.C. Swimming Meet

The following is the programme for the R.V.C. Swimming Meet on Thursday, March 27, at 3 o'clock at the Y.V.C.A. Students will be divided into Class A—those who hold an award of the Royal Life Saving Society. Class B—Those who do not hold any award.

Programme

Class A.
1. 40 yds. free style.
2. Candle race.
3. Breast or side stroke for style.
4. Diving.
(a) Plain standing.
(b) Running.
(c) Voluntary.
Class B.
1. 20 yds. free style.
2. Cork race.
3. Breast stroke for style.
4. Diving.
(a) Plain standing.
(b) Running.
(c) Voluntary.
Open to "A" & "B" Interclass relay
—4 girls from each year. First girl swims one length breast stroke, second girl one length back stroke, third girl one length side stroke and fourth girl one length free style.
Prizes are both individual and interclass.

Lists to be signed are posted at the Y.V.C.A. the R.V.C.A. Board and the Arts Building.
Practices are held every Monday & Thursday from 3 to 4.

Z. Slack,
Asst. Physical Director
for Women

March 18, 1930.

Fencing Club

The following men must turn in any keys or equipment which are the property of the Fencing Club on Thursday, March 20th, between five

graduates themselves are also of great assistance to our Employment Bureau, and the Bureau itself is giving excellent service to the Students' Society.

In closing I would like to thank the members of the Students' Council both of last year and this for the splendid support and co-operation I have received and to wish next year's President every possible success.

Respectfully submitted,
S. Boyd Millen
President,
Students' Society.

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Department of Physical Education for Women

Women students who have Basketball or Hockey equipment are requested to return it to the Physical Education Office at once. There are still a number of sweaters and a number of scarves missing.

Z. Slack,
Asst. Physical Director
for Women

March 18th, 1930.

Department of Physical Education for Women

Strathcona Trust Competition for Women
Regulations regarding the above competition are posted on the R.V.C. Athletic Board.

Students desiring to compete will please sign up as soon as possible.

Z. Slack,
Asst. Physical Director
for Women

March 18th, 1930.

Our Modest Bambino

Babe Ruth has become such a prominent national figure that he deserves to be lifted from the sport page occasionally and discussed in the more sober column of the editorial page.

Just as Lindbergh is the national hero of the air, Ruth is the national hero of America's greatest sport. Each is continuing to produce results in his chosen field. One, by aeronautical experimentation, the other by entertainment.

But the most striking feature in the character of the colorful Mr. Ruth is not that he can hit more home runs than any other slugger, or because he can command twice as much money as any other player, or that he "came back" in spite of the predictions of many sport authorities to the contrary—the most praiseworthy achievement in the career of Mr. Ruth is that he succeeded in overcoming that almost unconquerable enemy to human popularity, the "big head." Most fans remember that season several summers back when Mr. Ruth was afflicted.

Few indeed are those who could rise from a humble orphanage baseball nine to a position of first place in the hearts and minds of the baseball fans without feeling somewhat dizzy about the head. Still fewer could overcome this dizziness as Mr. Ruth has done.

—Oklahoma Daily

Revue Applications Received Till Mar. 21

Applications for positions on the executive of the Red and White Revue of 1931 will be received at Mr. Fletcher's office in the Union until noon on Friday, Mar. 21; applicants should state, faculty, year and any experience they have had.

"My, but you're covered with gore! How on earth did that happen?"
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Dartmouth Jack O'Lantern.



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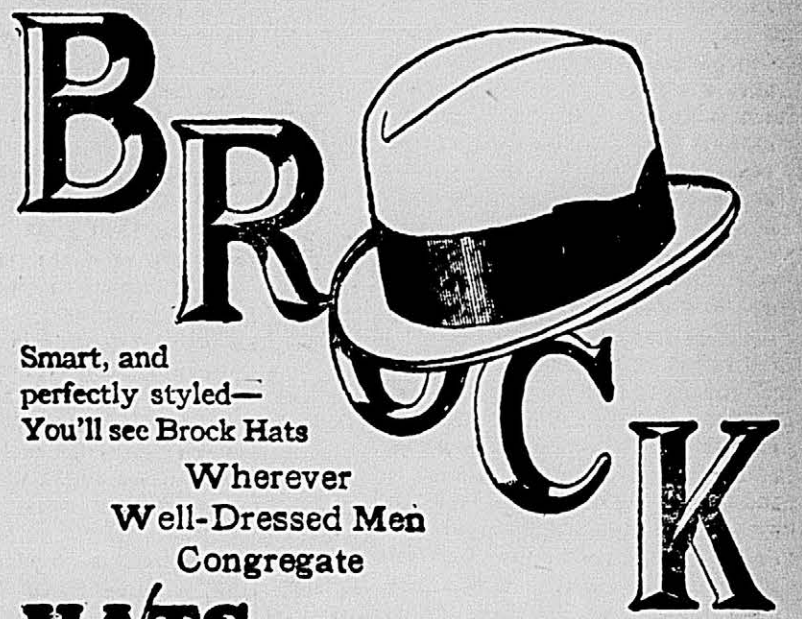
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The Daily

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given a distinctive mark. But too, there has come to us features for page two which have been of a good quality. They also share the prominence of extended width in columns but the size of type in the editorials has given it the necessary prominence. Moreover the style is now in common with the best newspaper practice.

It has been the policy of the Daily that it should report the local news well and, besides that, take the students away from their own sphere and try to show them something of the happenings of other universities and also what they are thinking. In pursuance of this we have had correspondents, graduates of our own paper, sent to us at intervals the impressions which are most striking to them in other universities. College Comment and news reports of other students actions have helped in this manner. In this line the Daily sponsored a Relief Fund for the students of Bulgaria, and is pleased to report that a sum well over three hundred dollars was subscribed for that purpose. This has shown that the Daily is a medium for unified student interest where sectional interests might prejudice any cause.

By far the most important experiment in the history of the Daily has been that privilege which the Council granted last spring, namely that of editorial freedom. The lead made by McGill in this matter has found an adherent in the University of Toronto, and we trust that the future will see many others falling into the same expression of progress.

It is in this matter that the most trying times have been experienced. The editorial freedom was granted with the stipulation that the opinions which were expressed were those of the Managing Board. The Daily held that the Sports feature column upon page three, was equally as much editorial matter as that on page two, but the ruling of the Council determined it otherwise. It is difficult for laymen to realise the position in the matter and we still feel that an appointee of the Council is equally as capable a man to express sports' opinions soundly as the other executives are on page two. It will have been noticed that no sports comment was made in the editorial columns of page two and the views of the Sports Department were sanctioned by the Editor-in-Chief as a matter of procedure.

But it is with the opinions expressed on page two that the crucial point of co-operation was reached, and at times strained. To Board it would be necessary that the Managing Board meet every night before going to press. Under the present arrangement it was impossible, it was claimed, that this could be done. The Editor-in-Chief was in the advantage as he was resident in the Union but the other members had city residences. Thus it happened that expression was made which had not been discussed by the Board, but in the practice of newspapers it is expedient that comment upon some event must be immediately after the report of that event. Under the circumstances this year the Managing Board were not in a position to consult with the Editor-in-Chief at the time.

Again it may happen, as was unfortunately the case this year, that the Editor-in-Chief is in the minority with regard to the opinions that the Managing Board wished to be expressed. This might not offer any difficulty to the layman but when the majority did not write any editorials and refused to do so, the case is apparent. It cannot be expected of any man that he can express opinions which are foreign to himself.

Thus it can be seen that the Editor-in-Chief, who wrote the majority of editorials, was in a strained position, for not being able to write other people's opinions he was further handicapped by being restricted by the Board upon the subjects available. It cannot be wondered that the standard which began on a fairly high plane was cramped towards the end.

From this there can be but one line of inference, of which there are two possibilities. First, that the opinions designated as those of the Editor-in-Chief. The Council, will have complete control of the situation in this respect in that they sanction the appointment and their judgement can be relied upon. An Editor-in-Chief could be relied upon to fulfill his task as privilege bestowed, and the complete freedom would of necessity make him doubly wary about license. With but one exception the controversial editorials this year have been written with one object, that the Managing Board should be more cognizant of its obligations, but the result was not very successful.

The second line which could be adopted is that all three members of the Managing Board live in residence at the Union. There are the requisite number of rooms and it could be arranged. There could then be no dispute that any one could not be obtained and the obligation of home residence and family responsibility would be removed. Either of these lines of action cannot be too strongly urged, if the Daily is not to find itself in the unfortunate position of this year. The retiring Managing Board in their recommendation for the incoming Board, have born the

harmony of working co-operative in mind.

And lastly it would be well to point out that promotions on the Daily Staff are not of necessity awards or rewards. Appointments are made for the smooth running of the paper. It may happen that an appointment is supplemented by an award, and in most cases that is so, but the occasion may arise where the Managing Board do not see their way clear to promotion for a reporter or otherwise, but his or her abilities do not go without award.

Respectfully submitted,
Philip Matthews,
Editor-in-Chief.

The Union

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building a state of affairs which has not happened for years. Thus the perennial white elephant has been changed to a perfectly respectable and self-supporting factor in the finances of the building.

At the same time the relations with Cordner's Ltd. have been most pleasant and altogether the cooperation between the two contracting parties has left little to be desired.

The particulars of the Constitutional change which substituted a three man House Committee for the former unwieldy body of ten men are too well known to need repetition; suffice it to say that the new arrangement would seem to be infinitely better in every way; that the same amount of work is accomplished with far less confusion and delay; and that the present form of executive seems best adapted to the administration of the building.

Despite the continued tendency of large dances to move away from the Union, social activity has been more than maintained through the introduction of the Workshop plays innumerable small affairs in the Grill Room and several faculty smokers. The Union has also enjoyed two of the most successful Informals in its history both from social and financial point of view. These were held before Christmas as conflicting dates in the second term made the success of such affairs problematical. I would recommend that at least three Informals be held next year.

The Alma Mater was also held in the Ball Room in January and its remarkable success seemed to show conclusively that the Union still possesses facilities for even the largest dances. An innovation on New Year's Eve saw a group of Science students stage a very successful Ball in the building. This affair promises to become an annual event.

Two Union smokers were also held during the session—the first to take the place of the annual Pep Rally early in October—the second to provide election candidates with an opportunity of addressing the student body.

In spite of a poor football season, receipts at the Tuck Shop show an encouraging increase over last year while the billiard room takings have been only slightly lower.

In addition to the functions already mentioned the Ball Room has been constantly occupied with Revue rehearsals, B. W. & F. Assaults, and the weekly debates. Shortly after Christmas a Badminton court was also marked out and members of the McGill club have used it regularly.

Many repairs were undertaken last summer, including renovation of the Cafeteria, stairways and upstairs. The Ball Room floor was also oiled and polished—at some expense—for the first time in its career and the resulting surface is a great improvement over the somewhat crusty floor of last fall.

If the expected surplus materialises, additional improvements and repairs are being considered for the coming summer. The extent of these will of course depend on the probable date of the new Union.

All in all it has been a most successful year.

R. K. Martin
President.

Request French Correspondence

Any students wishing to correspond by letter with students of the University of Haiti in French are asked to leave their names with any member of the French Department or with the executive of the Cercle Francaise.

Notices

POLITICAL ECONOMY CLUB
The last meeting of the year will take place tomorrow at 8.15 in the Men's Smoking Room of the Arts Building. Messrs. Carroll and Caplan will present the topic which will be "The Policy of the British Labor Government." Election of officers will take place. Important business will be transacted. Dr. Leacock and other members of the Department will be present. Refreshments will be served.

PHYSICAL SOCIETY
The next meeting of the Society will be held in the MAIN THEATRE MAISONNAIS PHYSICAL LABO-

RATORY, at 5-05 p.m. FRIDAY MARCH 21.

SPEAKER:—Dr. W. H. Barnes.
SUBJECT:—RECENT ADVANCES IN X-RAY CRYSTALLOGRAPHY.
All interested are invited to attend.

ENGLISH LITERATURE SOCIETY
The final meeting for the present session of the English Literature Society will be held in room 15 of the Arts Building on Friday at 4 p.m. Prof. A. S. Noad of the English Department will speak on "Recent Tendencies in Biography".

NEWFOUNDLAND CLUB
The Annual Dinner of the Newfoundland Club will be held at the Queen's Hotel on Friday, March 21st at 7 p.m. Tickets at \$2.00 each, may be obtained from the executive.

COMMERCE '32
Class dinner at Krausman's will be held Tuesday March 25th.

Y.M.H.A. PLAY TICKETS
All those interested in obtaining tickets for "The Adding Machine", by Elmer Rice, which will be presented at the Y.M.H.A. Little Theatre 265 Mt. Royal Avenue West, will kindly communicate with J. Gottlieb, in the Reading Room of the Arts Building, between 11 and 12 A.M.

MEDICAL SOCIETY
The next regular meeting of the McGill Medical Society will be held in the assembly hall of the Medical Building on Monday, March 24th, at eight p.m.

MEDICAL SOCIETY ELECTIONS
The following officers of the McGill Medical Society will be elected on Wednesday, March 26th, when the poll will be open in The Medical

Building from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.: President, Vice-President, Assistant Secretary.

The honorary officers and the Athletic Manager will be elected at the Annual Meeting which is to be held on Monday, March 31.

PROGRAMME:
1.—Discussion of constitution
2.—Cash report
3.—"Doctors Marat and Gullotini"—An address by Dr. Leo Pariseau of the University of Montreal.
4.—Refreshments.

ORIENTAL CLUB
Rabbi J. Berger will address the Club at its next meeting on Thursday evening March 20 at 8:15, in the S. C.A. Room Strathcona Hall. The subject will be "Is God a Superstition?" All interested please attend. There will also be election of officers.

MACCABAEAN CIRCLE
The annual business meeting of the above society will take place on Sunday afternoon March, 23, 1930. The reports of the various officers will be read, and the election of a new executive for the coming year will take place. All those who have not paid their annual dues of One Dollar (\$1.00) are asked to do so.

INTER-UNIVERSITY CORRESPONDENCE
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RED AND WHITE REVUE 1931
Applications for positions on the

executive of the Red & White Revue of 1931 will be received at Mr. Fletcher's office in the Union until noon on Friday, March 21, applicants should state faculty, year and any experience they have had.

BANJO CLUB
The annual meeting will take place on Thursday at seven thirty in the Union Ballroom.

This will also serve as an organization meeting for the new singing group. Anyone interested in glee club work is requested to turn out.

BANDSMEN
Band Dinner and election of officers for the coming year is scheduled for Friday, March 28, in the Union. Tickets for the dinner are priced at one dollar, payable in advance to Kelly or Wallace. Please see these men as soon as possible and pay your money. Instruments, caps and sweaters are all to be turned in at the same time.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION FOR WOMEN
First Year Hygiene

Lecture:
The last series of Hygiene lectures for Women Students of First Year will be held on Wednesday, March 26th, at 5 o'clock, in Room 105, R.V.C.

The lecturer will be Dr. Mary Childs, Medical Officer for Women. She will take as her subject certain phases of Preventive Medicine. All Women Students of First year are required to attend. Upperclass students will be welcome should the subject interest them.

M.W.S.S. ANNUAL MEETING
The annual meeting of the M.W.S.S. will be held in R.V.C., on Thurs-

day, March 27, at three thirty p.m. Kindly return it as soon as possible before the Delta Sigma meeting. All women students are urged to attend.

SOCIETE FRANCAISE
There will be a GRAND GUIGNOL meeting of the Societe Francaise on Thursday, March 20, at 4 o'clock in the R.V.C. All members are cordially invited to attend. As this is the last meeting of the year, elections will be held.

DELTA SIGMA EXECUTIVE
A meeting of the executive of the Delta Sigma Society is being held to-day at 1 p.m. in the Arts Building Common Room. All members are requested to be present.

M.W.S.S. EXECUTIVE
Important meeting Thursday at 1 p.m.

Lost
A Black and Davis physics textbook, bearing the name of the owner.

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GREAT BRITAIN and FRANCE (Together with GENEVA or OBERAMMERGAU)

June 21, "Minnedosa" from Montreal.

June 21 (M) (W) (F) Sail by S.S. "MINNEDOSA" from Montreal.
June 29 (M) (W) (F) Arrive at Glasgow.
June 30 (M) (W) (F) From Glasgow to St. Andrews via The Trossachs.

June 30—July 4 St. Andrews.
July 4—July 10 Edinburgh.
July 10—July 14 Gramere (English Lake District).
July 14—July 17 Harrogate.
July 17—July 21 York.
July 21—July 24 Stratford-Upon-Avon.

The Undergraduates who will accompany the party from Montreal will be under the personal supervision of the Honorary Organizer who will accompany the party from Montreal assisted by the Rev. R. H. Ragg, M.A., (Cantab) (Rector of All Saints Church, Winnipeg) as Honorary Chaplain, and by the following Honorary Senior Group Leaders:

MRS. K. F. PINHEY, McGill University, Montreal.
MISS ISABEL ROBSON, Dean of Women, Regina College.

MRS. F. G. C. WOOD, University of British Columbia.
MISS DOROTHY SOMERSET, Honorary Secretary, 1419 Pendrell Street, Vancouver, B.C.

\$535.00

Special provision is being made for men students to enable them to attend the Royal Tournament at Olympia and the Aldershot Military Tattoo. On the conclusion of this special London programme, this group will join the Undergraduates' party at St. Andrews on June 30th.

EXTENSION FOR MEN STUDENTS ONLY
JUNE 4 Leave Quebec by R.M.S. "EMPRESS OF FRANCE".
June 11 Arrive Southampton and proceed direct to London.

In London the Students will be accommodated in Hotel's at Lancaster Gate, opposite Kensington Gardens and Hyde Park. For this period the programme will be optional and selected from the following items of historical and general interest. For events marked with an asterisk reservations for all members of this group will be made.

DIARY OF PRINCIPAL EVENTS

June 11th-12th: Flower Show. Iris, (Royal Horticultural Hall, London).
June 12th-14th: Horse Show. (Richmond, London).
June 13th-17th: Cricket, First Test Match, England vs. Australia. (Nottingham).
June 14th: Polo, Lawson Cup. (Roehampton, London).
June 14th: Catter Donkeys' Show, (Richmond, London).
June 16th-21st: Golf, Open Championship, (Hoylake).
June 16th-21st: Tennis. (Queen's Club, London).
June 17th-21st: Military Torchlight Tattoo. (Aldershot).

June 18th-21st: Convention, British Architects' (Norwich).
June 18th: Racing. Royal Hunt Club. (Ascot near London).
June 19th: Racing. Gold Cup. (Ascot near London).
June 19th-28th: International Horse Show. (Olympia, London).
June 20th-July 3rd: Trade Exhibition, Ideal Holidays. (Royal Agricultural Hall).
June 21st-25th: Convention, Annual Advertising. (Hastings).
June 23rd: (Prince of Wales' Birthday).
June 23rd-July 5th: Croquet. North of England

Championship. (Buxton).
June 23rd-July 5th: Tennis. Lawn Tennis Championships. (Wimbledon, London).
June 23rd-July 5th: Chess. British Congress. (Scarborough).
June 24th: Racing. Irish Derby. (Curragh).
June 24th: Royal Horticultural Show. (Royal Horticultural Hall).
June 25th: Racing. Summer Meeting. (Newbury).
June 27, 28, 30 and July 1st: Cricket. Second Test match. England vs. Australia. (Lord's Cricket Ground, London).
June 28th: Royal Air Force Display. (Hendon).

The present estimated cost of this additional programme, including Tourist Third Cabin accommodation on the "Empress of France", rail fare Southampton to London, and London to St. Andrew's is \$65.00.

CHANGE IN ITINERARY
Both Teachers and Undergraduates will now leave Geneva a day earlier than intimated in the League's programme and proceed to Innsbruck in the Austrian Tyrol where the night will be spent. Next Day the Journey to Oberammergau will be continued by motor coach through what is considered some of the most beautiful mountain scenery in the world.

FIRST ANNUAL SUMMER SCHOOL OF FOLK DANCING
(In co-operation with the Folk Dance Society)
OXFORD (Lady Margaret Hall)
MALVERN and LONDON
July 2nd.—"Empress of Australia", from Quebec.
Aug. 30th.—"Empress of Australia", arrive Quebec.
\$395.00

SECOND ANNUAL SUMMER SCHOOL IN ENGLISH
(For Teachers and Students)
Oxford—London
Stratford-Upon-Avon
From Quebec, July 2nd,
August 30th, arrive at Quebec.
"EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA"
\$395.00

FIRST ANNUAL SUMMER SCHOOL IN MUSIC
(For Teachers and Students)
Paris, Oberammergau, Munich, Bayreuth, Dresden, Berlin, London.
\$520.00

FIRST ANNUAL SUMMER SCHOOL IN SPANISH
(In co-operation with the University of Liverpool)
SANTANDER, SPAIN.
Approximate dates: July 17th to 30th (Junior Classes), August 2nd to 29th (Senior Classes).
July 2nd, from Quebec
"EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA"
Sept. 7th, arrive at Quebec
"EMPRESS OF SCOTLAND"
\$420.00

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL VISIT OF TEACHERS
(Including the Clergy and Medical Profession)
Great Britain and France
Geneva, Oberammergau, (Passion Play)
Nuremberg, Bayreuth, Dresden, Austrian Tyrol, Berlin, Hamburg.
From Quebec, July 2nd,
August 30th, arrive at Quebec.
"EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA"
\$535.00

FOURTH ANNUAL SUMMER SCHOOL IN FRENCH
(For Teachers and Students)
Lycee Victor Duruy, Boulevard des Invalides, PARIS.
From Quebec, July 2nd,
Aug. 30th, Arrive at Quebec.
"EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA"
\$375.00

Application forms containing the usual detailed information regarding the various items of the League's programme for 1930 are available at the Offices of the OVERSEAS EDUCATION LEAGUE, Boyd Building, WINNIPEG. MAJOR FRED J. NEY, Honorary Organizer. Or from MRS. K. PINHEY, Biological Building: Telephone MA. 9181

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